

Notice of Public Meeting

Pine Bluff Arsenal



You are invited to attend a public scoping meeting sponsored by the U.S. Army's Product Manager for Non-Stockpile Chemical Materiel. The meeting is being held to discuss the disposal options that will be addressed in an Environmental Impact Statement (EIS) that is being prepared concerning the non-stockpile chemical materiel stored at Pine Bluff Arsenal. Non-stockpile chemical materiel includes items such as recovered chemical warfare materiel, chemical agent identification sets, binary munitions components and chemical samples.

The EIS will study the potential environmental, economic and social effects that the following proposed disposal options may have upon the Pine Bluff and White Hall communities:

- constructing one or more new facilities to handle the materiel;
- using mobile treatment systems that are under development by the Product Manager for Non-Stockpile Chemical Materiel;
- using non-developmental items;
- using the Pine Bluff Chemical Agent Disposal Facility that is currently under construction; and
- continue storing non-stockpile chemical materiel (no action).

Scoping is a process designed to identify issues and receive your input about the proposed disposal options. Representatives from the Non-Stockpile Chemical Materiel Project, Pine Bluff Arsenal Command and the Arkansas Citizens' Advisory Commission will be available to answer questions you may have about the EIS, the scoping process and the disposal options under review.

PUBLIC SCOPING MEETING

Thursday, September 13, 2001

5:00 p.m.—9:00 p.m.

Creasy Auditorium

Pine Bluff Arsenal-Plainview/White Hall Gate

White Hall, Arkansas

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